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## FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

### STATE ROUTE 58 HINKLEY EXPRESSWAY PROJECT OPENS EASTBOUND LANES

**SAN BERNARDINO** – The California Department of Transportation (Caltrans) continues construction on the State Route 58 (SR-58) Hinkley Expressway Project this week. The \$201 million project was awarded to Skanska and began in June 2015. The project is widening and realigning SR-58 from a two-lane conventional highway to a four-lane expressway and is constructing two interchanges on the widened and realigned portion of SR-58—one at Hinkley Road and the other at Lenwood Road.

Caltrans and Skanska will shift the **eastbound SR-58 traffic** from the existing SR-58 to the new alignment on the SR-58 Hinkley Expressway on Monday, March 13 in the late afternoon. Westbound SR-58 traffic will remain on the existing SR-58 for approximately two weeks. The westbound SR-58 existing alignment will then shift to the new SR-58 Hinkley Expressway. In anticipation of the eastbound traffic shift, Skanska will be installing striping and signage in order to alert motorists to the new traffic configuration.

**Motorists are advised that Hinkley Road will remain open to traffic. There will be no access from Lenwood Road northbound to westbound SR-58. Motorists are advised to use alternate routes. Eastbound on and off ramps at Hinkley and Lenwood Roads will be open also on Monday afternoon.**

Additional information will be released once the timeline for the westbound portion of the Hinkley Expressway is finalized. The project is expected to be complete in summer 2017. As always, check traffic conditions on the Caltrans QuickMap at <http://quickmap.dot.ca.gov/> before your trip. Motorists are advised to plan ahead, add extra time to their commute, and consider alternate routes to avoid the work. *Know before you go!* Stay informed about roadwork in the Inland Empire and go to [www.caltrans8.info](http://www.caltrans8.info) to sign up for commuter alerts.

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